

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
RC PETITION

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Case No.

14-RC-304498

Date Filed

10/3/2022

INSTRUCTIONS: Unless e-Filed using the Agency's website, www.nlr.gov, submit an original of this Petition to an NLRB office in the Region in which the employer concerned is located. The petition must be accompanied by both a showing of interest (see 6b below) and a certificate of service showing service on the employer and all other parties named in the petition of: (1) the petition; (2) Statement of Position form (Form NLRB-505); and (3) Description of Representation Case Procedures (Form NLRB 4812). The showing of interest should only be filed with the NLRB and should not be served on the employer or any other party.

1. PURPOSE OF THIS PETITION: RC-CERTIFICATION OF REPRESENTATIVE - A substantial number of employees wish to be represented for purposes of collective bargaining by Petitioner and Petitioner desires to be certified as representative of the employees. **The Petitioner alleges that the following circumstances exist and requests that the National Labor Relations Board proceed under its proper authority pursuant to Section 9 of the National Labor Relations Act.**

2a. Name of Employer: Ascension Via Christi St. Francis		2b. Address(es) of Establishment(s) involved (Street and number, City, State, ZIP code): 929 North St. Francis Street Wichita, KS 67214	
3a. Employer Representative - Name and Title: Joy Scott, President		3b. Address (if same as 2b - state same): Same	
3c. Tel. No. 312-268-5254	3d. Cell No.	3e. Fax No.	3f. E-Mail Address Joy.Scott@ascension.org
4a. Type of Establishment (Factory, mine, wholesaler, etc.) Hospital		4b. Principal Product or Service Healthcare	5a. City and State where unit is located: Wichita, KS
5b. Description of Unit Involved: Included: See attached. Excluded: See attached.			6a. Number of Employees in Unit: 625
			6b. Do a substantial number (30% or more) of the employees in the unit wish to be represented by the Petitioner? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Check One: <input type="checkbox"/> 7a. Request for recognition as Bargaining Representative was made on (Date) _____ and Employer declined recognition on or about (Date) _____ (If no reply received, so state). <input type="checkbox"/> 7b. Petitioner is currently recognized as Bargaining Representative and desires certification under the Act.			
8a. Name of Recognized or Certified Bargaining Agent (If none, so state) None		8b. Address:	
8c. Tel. No.	8d. Cell No.	8e. Fax No.	8f. E-Mail Address
8g. Affiliation, if any:		8h. Date of Recognition or Certification	8i. Expiration Date of Current or Most Recent Contract, if any (Month, Day, Year)
9. Is there now a strike or picketing at the Employer's establishment(s) involved? No If so, approximately how many employees are participating? _____ (Name of Labor Organization) _____, has picketed the Employer since (Month, Day, Year) _____			
10. Organizations or individuals other than Petitioner and those named in items 8 and 9, which have claimed recognition as representatives and other organizations and individuals known to have a representative interest in any employees in the unit described in item 5b above. (If none, so state) None			
10a. Name		10b. Address	10c. Tel. No.
			10d. Cell No.
		10e. Fax No.	10f. E-Mail Address
11. Election Details: If the NLRB conducts and election in this matter, state your position with respect to any such election:			11a. Election Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Manual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed Manual/Mail
11b. Election Date(s): October 17, 2022		11c. Election Time(s):	11d. Election Location(s):
12a. Full Name of Petitioner (including local name and number): National Nurses Organizing Committee—Missouri & Kansas/National Nurses United		12b. Address (street and number, city, State and ZIP code): 155 Grand Avenue Oakland, CA 94612	
12c. Full name of national or international labor organization of which Petitioner is an affiliate or constituent (if none, so state): National Nurses United (NNU) and American Federation of Labor-Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO)			
12d. Tel. No. 510-273-2275	12e. Cell No.	12f. Fax No. 510-663-4822	12g. E-Mail Address dwillhoite@calnurses.org
13. Representative of the Petitioner who will accept service of all papers for purposes of the representation proceeding.			
13a. Name and Title: David Willhoite, Legal Counsel		13b. Address (street and number, city, State and ZIP code):	
13c. Tel. No. 510-273-2275	13d. Cell No. 510-424-1478	13e. Fax No. 510-663-4822	13f. E-Mail Address dwillhoite@calnurses.org
I declare that I have read the above petition and that the statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.			
Name (Print) David Willhoite		Signature /s/ David Willhoite	Title Legal Counsel
			Date 10/03/22

WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS ON THIS PETITION CAN BE PUNISHED BY FINE AND IMPRISONMENT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 18, SECTION 1001)
PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

Solicitation of the information on this form is authorized by the National Labor Relations Act (NLRA), 29 U.S.C. § 151 et seq. The principal use of the information is to assist the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) in processing representation and related proceedings or litigation. The routine uses for the information are fully set forth in the Federal Register, 71 Fed. Reg. 74942-43 (Dec. 13, 2006). The NLRB will further explain these uses upon request. Disclosure of this information to the NLRB is voluntary; however, failure to supply the information may cause the NLRB to decline to invoke its processes.

Attachment A
RC Petition
Ascension Via Christi St. Francis

**by National Nurses Organizing Committee—Missouri & Kansas/National Nurses
United**
October 3, 2022

5. Unit Involved

Included:

All full-time, regular part-time and per diem registered nurses, including registered nurses who serve as relief charge nurses and full-time charge nurses, employed by the Employer at its acute-care hospital facility currently located at 929 North Saint Francis Street in Wichita, Kansas.

Excluded:

All other employees, registered nurses employed by registries or other agencies providing outside labor to the Employer, nurse administrators, managerial employees, confidential employees, physicians, other professional employees, technical employees, skilled maintenance employees, business office clerical employees, guards, other non-professional employees, and supervisors as defined in the Act.

Eligibility date is pay period ending, October 1, 2022.

Per diem/casual RNs are eligible if they have regularly averaged four hours or more per week in the 13 weeks before the October 1, 2022 eligibility date at the 929 North Saint Francis Street in Wichita, Kansas facility.